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SUBJECT: HUNGARIAN REACTION TO MIDDLE EAST WAR

1. IN OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE OF OCTOBER 8, GOH "STRONGLY CONDEMNED" ISRAEL FOR ALLEGED ACT OF AGGRESSION AGAINST ARAB STATES. COMMUNIQUE BLAMED ISRAEL FOR STARTING CONFLICT AND CALLED FOR ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION OF NOV. 22, 1967. STATEMENT CHARGED THAT, "ISRAELI AGGRESSIVENESS IS BACKED BY MOST REACTIONARY CIRCLES OF IMPERIALISM THAT HAVE ATTEMPTED TO STOP PROCESS OF INTERNATIONAL DETENTE IN VARIOUS AREAS OF WORLD--YESTERDAY IN CHILE, TODAY IN MIDDLE EAST".

2. SINCE WAR FIRST REPORTED HERE ON OCTOBER 7, HUNGARIAN MEDIA HAS CONSISTENTLY CLAIMED THAT ISRAEL INVADED SYRIA AND EGYPT AND REPORTS OF BATTLES HAVE BEEN TAKEN FROM ARAB AND SOVIET NEWS SOURCES. INTERESTING THAT HARSH GOH ATTACK AGAINST ISRAELIS CARRIED IN PRESS ALONGSIDE RELATIVELY MODERATE QUOTE FROM BREZHNEV STATING USSR
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WILLING TO WORK TOWARD FAIR AND STABLE PEACE IN MIDDLE

EAST. EMBASSY HAS NOT BEEN TARGET OF LOCAL PROTESTS
AND WE DO NOT EXPECT THAT GOH WOULD ALLOW SUCH ACTIVITY
AT THIS TIME.
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